

**DELAWARE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
JOB OPENING**

Opening Date: March 25, 2021

Closing Date: April 14, 2021

**DEPUTY ATTORNEY GENERAL
Health Law Unit, Civil Division
New Castle County**

Description of Duties:

The Delaware Department of Justice is seeking a Deputy Attorney General (“DAG”) to join its Health Law Unit (“HLU”), Civil Division, to represent the Department of Health and Social Services (“DHSS”) and its agencies in Civil Commitment hearings, Lethal Violence Protection Order proceedings, guardianship matters on behalf of State agencies, and Medicaid estate recoveries. This position will also involve some general counsel duties for DHSS, particularly for the Division of Medicaid and Medical Assistance, Adult Protective Services, and the Long Term Care Ombudsman. The agency counsel duties involved in this position include drafting and reviewing legislation and regulations, procurement law compliance, drafting and reviewing contracts, requests for proposals and MOUs, Freedom of Information Act compliance, Attorney General Opinions, representation of the agencies and/or agency officers and employees in court and administrative proceedings, advice regarding disability law, and compliance with HIPAA, CFR Part 2, and other State and Federal privacy statutes and regulations.

The most qualified candidates will be proficient in health law, as well as have prior litigation and general counsel experience, however such expertise and experience is not required for selection. The HLU takes a proactive approach to assisting its agency clients, therefore a successful candidate should have the ability to work with State agencies to identify potential issues and assist State agencies to address such issues in order to minimize or avoid future legal action.

Internal Delaware Department of Justice Applicants: Please submit an updated Resume or summary of work experience to the Director of Human Resources, Deputy State Solicitor Iona Kirshon, and Unit Head Joanna Suder.

External Applicants: In order to be considered for this position, External applicants must submit Resume and the Delaware Department of Justice Application (please see link):

<http://attorneygeneral.delaware.gov/executive/hr/job-application/>

OR External applicants can mail Resume and the Delaware Department of Justice Application to: Delaware Department of Justice, Human Resources, 820 N. French Street, 6th Floor, Wilmington, DE 19801, OR E-mail to: DOJHR@delaware.gov OR Fax to: 302-577-5866. EOE.